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Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that errors appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In column 3, line 29, delete "symbolc" and insert - - symbolC - -, therefor.

In column 11, line 38–48, delete "The statistical goodness measure (SGM) of the exemplary parser uses a generative grammar approach. In a generative grammar approach, each sentence has a top-down derivation consisting of a sequence of rule applications (i.e., transitions). The probability of the parse tree is the product of the probabilities of all the nodes. The probability for a given node is the probability that from the node one would take a specific transition, given the syntactive features. The SGM of the exemplary parser may be calculated using either of the following equivalent formulas:" and insert - - The statistical goodness measure (SGM) of the exemplary parser uses a generative grammar approach. In a generative grammar approach, each sentence has a top-down derivation consisting of a sequence of rule applications (i.e., transitions). The probability of the parse tree is the product of the probabilities of all the nodes. The probability for a given node is the probability that from the node one would take a specific transition, given the syntactive features. The SGM of the exemplary parser may be calculated using either of the following equivalent formulas: - - on line 39 as a new paragraph.

In column 13, line 29, delete "VPwNPrl" and insert - - VPwNPr1 - -, therefor.

In column 14, line 34, delete "VPwNP1" and insert - - VPwNPI - -, therefor.

In column 17, line 10, after "hw(nx)" insert - - . - -.

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$$Count(trn(n_X) \& hw(n_X) \&$$

$$= \frac{pl(n_X) \& sh(n_X) \& segtype(n_X)}{Count(hw(n_X) \& pl(n_X) \&}$$

 $Sh(n_X) \& segtype(n_X) \& sh(n_X) \& segtype(n_X)$ 

and insert

Count  $(trn(n_x) & hw(n_x) & pl(n_x) & sh(n_x)$ 

& segtype(n<sub>x</sub>))

Count  $(hw(n_X) \& pl(n_X) \& sh(n_X) \&$ 

segtype(nx))

therefor (closing parenthesis in numerator).

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